

Abstract

Analysis of the breeding of higher primates in Czech zoos in terms of use for teaching at primary and secondary schools

This thesis analyzes the breeding of higher primates in zoos in Czech and its use for teaching at primary and secondary schools.

The theoretical part of the work deals with the history of zoological gardens, and features characteristics of higher primates bred in the Czech Republic and introduces the EAZA campaign to protect the apes.

The research part is composed of the actual observation of zoos in the Czech Republic, the analysis of Internet resources and the rating of the zoos. The best zoos to teach about the higher primates were found the ZOO Plzeň and the ZOO Usti nad Labem.

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